S
361.0021
W8s
1947
Mar

PUBLIC WELFARE

STATISTICS

MARCH 1947

STATE OF MONTANA
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE
DIVISION OF STATISTICS AND RESEARCH

VOL. IX HELENA, MONTANA NO. 3

Montana State Library
3 0864 1006 3439 6

STATE OF MONTANA
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE
HELENA, MONTANA

STATE BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

O. A. BERGESON, Chairman

DAVIS GRAHAM, Vice-Chairman

HARRY L. BURNS

REV. PAUL W. DIERBERGER

MRS. BELLE R. NYE

W. J. FOUSE, Administrator
and Secretary to the Board

DIVISION OF PUBLIC ASSISTANCE
V. A. BURR, Director

DIVISION OF CHILD WELFARE SERVICES
MARGARET SCOTT, Supervisor

DIVISION OF AUDITING AND FINANCE
I. E. SNYDER, Director

DIVISION OF SUPPLIES AND SERVICES
Wm. A. LANE, Director

DIVISION OF STATISTICS AND RESEARCH
THEODORE CARKULIS, Director

C O N T E N T S

		Page
Chart I.	Number of Recipients of Public Assistance and Aid to Silicotics, January 1940 - March 1947	1
Chart II.	Obligations Incurred for Public Assistance and Aid to Silicotics, January 1940 - March 1947	2
Table I.	Summary of Public Assistance Statistics	3
Table II.	Applications and Cases Approved for Public Assistance	4
Table III.	Number of Public Assistance Cases Closed; Reason for Closing	5 - 6
Table IV.	All Public Assistance, by County	7
Table V.	Old Age Assistance, by County	8
Table VI.	Old Age Assistance: Counties Ranked by Amount of Average Payment	9
Table VII.	Old Age Assistance: Number of Recipients and Average Payment per Recipient, by Race, by County	10
Table VIII.	Aid to Dependent Children, by County	11
Table IX.	Aid to Needy Blind, by County	12
Table X.	General Relief Subsistence, by County	13
Table XI.	Family and One-Person General Relief Cases, by County	14
Table XII.	All General Relief, Including Subsistence, Medical Care, Hospitalization, and Burials, by County	15
Table XIII.	Transient Relief, by County	16
Table XIV.	Monthly Report of Child Welfare Services	17
Table XV.	Child Welfare Cases Under Care, by County, March 31, 1947	17
Table XVI.	Aid to Silicotics, by County	18
Table on Old Age Assistance: Average Payments to Recipients by State, January 1947		19

PREPARED BY

THE DIVISION OF STATISTICS AND RESEARCH

THEODORE CARKULIS, DIRECTOR

CHART I. NUMBER OF RECIPIENTS OF PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND AID TO SILICOTICS
JANUARY 1940 - MARCH 1947
(Semi-Logarithmic Grid)

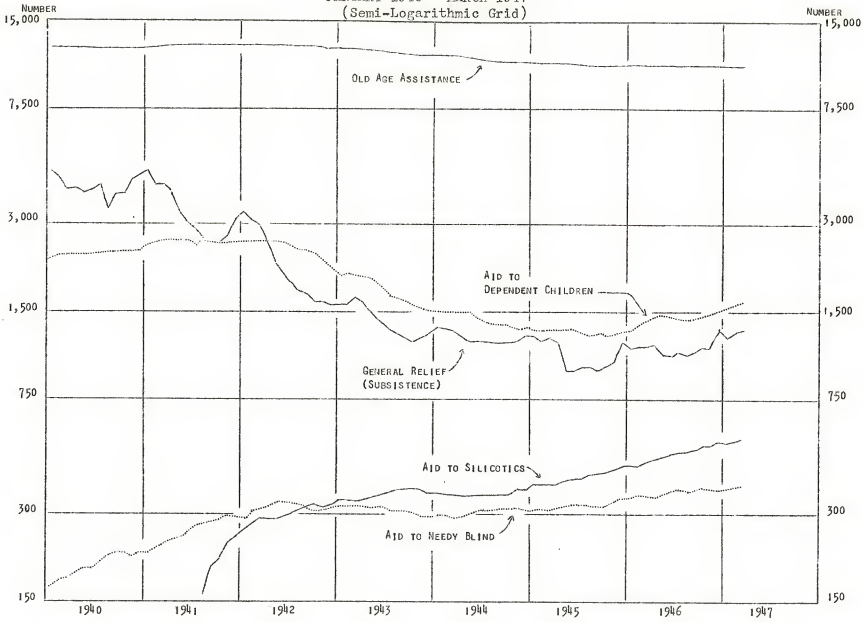

CHART II. OBLIGATIONS INCURRED FOR PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND AID TO SILICOTICS
JANUARY 1940 - MARCH 1947
(Semi-Logarithmic Grid)

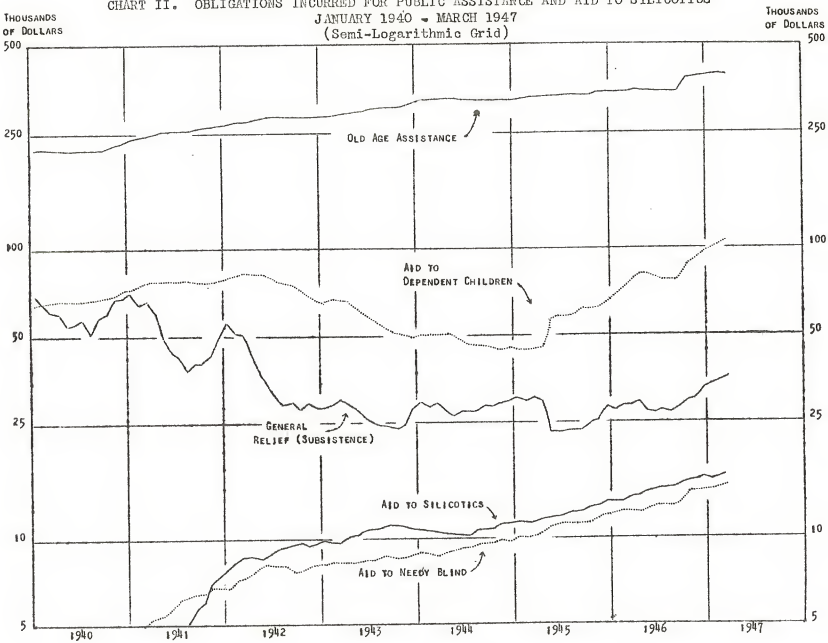

TABLE I. SUMMARY OF PUBLIC ASSISTANCE STATISTICS, MARCH 1947

A. OBLIGATIONS INCURRED FOR PUBLIC ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS

Type of Assistance	March 1947	Feb. 1947	March 1946	% Increase or Decrease from: Feb. 1947	Mar. 1946
All Public Assistance	$599,162.34	$582,737.47	$495,112.94	+ 2.8	+21.0
Old Age Assistance	397,653.00	395,355.00	348,552.50	+ 0.6	+14.1
Aid to Dependent Children	105,917.00	101,040.00	77,107.50	+ 4.8	+37.4
Aid to Needy Blind	15,003.00	14,746.00	12,287.00	+ 1.7	+22.1
General Relief (Subsistence)	35,932.69	34,291.79	28,854.33	+ 4.8	+24.5
Medical Care	5,858.32	4,379.89	4,982.77	+33.8	+17.6
Hospitalization	34,429.69	29,408.01	20,871.38	+17.1	+65.0
Burials	4,368.64	3,516.78	2,457.46	+24.2	+77.8

B. NUMBER OF RECIPIENTS OF PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

Type of Assistance	March 1947	Feb. 1947	March 1946	% Increase or Decrease from: Feb. 1947	Mar. 1946
Old Age Assistance	10,652	10,648	10,771	+ 1/	- 1.1
Aid to Dependent Children:					
Families	1,636	1,587	1,421	+ 3.1	+15.1
Children	4,344	4,230	3,729	+ 2.7	+16.5
Aid to Needy Blind	375	371	346	+ 1.1	+ 8.4
General Relief (Subsistence)	1,293	1,283	1,128	+ 0.8	+14.6
Medical Care	390	362	308	+ 7.7	+26.6
Hospitalization	452	410	334	+10.2	+35.3
Burials	53	43	39	+23.3	+35.9

C. AVERAGE PAYMENTS TO RECIPIENTS OF PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

Type of Assistance	March 1947	Feb. 1947	March 1946	% Increase or Decrease from: Feb. 1947	Mar. 1946
Old Age Assistance	$37.35	$37.13	$32.36	+ 0.5	+15.4
Aid to Dependent Children:					
Families	64.74	63.67	54.26	+ 1.7	+19.3
Children	24.38	23.89	20.68	+ 2.1	+17.9
Aid to Needy Blind	40.01	39.75	35.51	+ 0.7	+12.7
General Relief (Subsistence)	27.79	26.73	25.58	+ 4.0	+ 8.6
Medical Care	15.02	12.10	16.18	+24.1	- 7.2
Hospitalization	76.17	71.73	62.49	+ 6.2	+21.9
Burials	82.43	81.79	63.01	+ 0.8	+30.8

1/ Less than 0.1%

TABLE II. APPLICATIONS AND CASES APPROVED FOR PUBLIC ASSISTANCE, MARCH 1947

A. APPLICATIONS FOR PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

Applications	Number of Applications for: Old Age Assistance	Aid to Dependent Children (Families)	Aid to Needy Blind	General Relief
1. Pending from preceding month	184	86	30	62
2. Received during month	180	101	19	134
3. Total during month	364	187	49	196
4. Disposed of during month	189	116	30	142
a. Approved for assistance	154	90	20	125
b. Certified or referred to programs other than public assistance	1	-	1	3
c. Denied or otherwise disposed of	34	26	9	14
5. Pending at end of month	175	71	19	54

B. CASES APPROVED FOR PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

Cases	Number of Cases Approved for: Old Age Assistance	Aid to Dependent Children (Families)	Aid to Needy Blind	General Relief
6. Continued from preceding month	10,789	1,640	395	1,213
7. Added during month	154	90	20	125
8. Total open during month	10,943	1,730	415	1,338
a. Received assistance	10,652	1,636	375	1,293
(1) Children in aid to dependent children cases	xxxxxx	4,344 1/	xxxxx	xxxxx
b. Received no assistance	291	94	40	45
9. Closed during month	128	36	5	109
10. Continued to next month	10,815	1,694	410	1,229

1/ Includes 385 children 16 years of age and over.

TABLE III. NUMBER OF PUBLIC ASSISTANCE CASES CLOSED AND REASON FOR CLOSING, MARCH 1947

A. OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Reason for Closing	Number of Cases Closed
TOTAL	128
Death of recipient	83
Material change in economic circumstances, total	20
Employment of recipient	5
Employment of other person in home	2
Increased support from person outside home	1
Other resources of person in home	11
Other material change in economic circumstances	1
No material change in economic circumstances, total	25
Admitted to institution	13
Receipt of Aid to Needy Blind	8
Receipt of aid from another state	3
Unable to locate	1

B. GENERAL RELIEF

Reason for Closing	Number of Cases Closed
TOTAL	109
Supplementation of another type of assistance discontinued	13
Death of recipient	12
Material change in economic circumstances, total	47
Employment of person in home	28
Allowance, pension, or other payment connected with military service	2
Other resources of person in home	6
Other material change in economic circumstances	11
No material change in economic circumstances, total	37
Admitted to institution	1
Receipt of another type of public or private aid	29
Other reasons	7

TABLE III. NUMBER OF PUBLIC ASSISTANCE CASES CLOSED AND REASON FOR CLOSING, MARCH 1947 (Cont'd)

C. AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN

Reason for Closing	Number of Cases Closed	
	Families	Children
TOTAL	36	106*
Death of dependent child	-	2
Material change in economic circumstances, total	20	58
Employment of father	8	27
Employment of mother	4	5
Support by remarriage of parent	4	14
Increased support from person outside home	2	6
Other resources of person in home	2	5
Other material change in economic circumstances	-	1
No material change in economic circumstances, total	16	46
Child reached maximum age	2	7
Child 16 years of age or over and not attending school	4	10
No eligible payee available	2	3
Child not in home	3	11
Change of payee with no break in payments	2	5
Other reasons	3	10

* Includes children of closed family cases and children removed from active family cases.

D. AID TO NEEDY BLIND

Reason for Closing	Number of Cases Closed
TOTAL	5
Death of recipient	2
Employment of recipient	1
Other resources of person in home	1
Admitted to institution	1

TABLE IV. ALL PUBLIC ASSISTANCE, INCLUDING OLD AGE ASSISTANCE, AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN, AID TO NEEDY BLIND, GENERAL RELIEF SUBSISTENCE, MEDICAL CARE, HOSPITALIZATION, AND BURIALS, BY COUNTY, MARCH 1947

County	Unduplicated Number of Households Receiving Public Assistance	Total Payments	Average per Household
TOTAL	12,320	$ 599,162.34	$ 48.63
1. Beaverhead	174	7,434.28	42.73
2. Big Horn	81	8,982.40	49.63
3. Blaine	217	9,196.47	42.38
4. Broadwater	102	4,739.00	46.36
5. Carbon	327	14,793.76	45.24
6. Carter	96	5,167.50	53.83
7. Cascade	831	48,268.45	58.08
8. Chouteau	152	7,904.27	52.00
9. Custer	258	11,459.43	44.42
10. Daniels	72	3,982.45	55.31
11. Dawson	149	7,683.64	51.57
12. Deer Lodge	218	13,111.87	60.15
13. Fallon	77	3,952.50	51.33
14. Fergus	378	18,328.44	48.49
15. Flathead	551	23,930.12	43.43
16. Gallatin	232	11,093.40	47.82
17. Garfield	74	4,077.50	55.10
18. Glacier	266	12,081.20	45.42
19. Golden Valley	38	2,162.50	56.91
20. Granite	49	1,929.87	39.39
21. Hill	240	12,872.04	53.63
22. Jefferson	137	7,166.73	52.31
23. Judith Basin	109	5,572.32	51.12
24. Lake	274	12,686.99	46.30
25. Lewis & Clark	471	20,094.76	42.66
26. Liberty	34	1,554.15	45.71
27. Lincoln	302	13,264.53	43.92
28. Madison	212	10,395.95	49.04
29. McCone	64	2,918.77	45.61
30. Meagher	64	3,327.50	51.99
31. Mineral	88	5,420.13	61.59
32. Missoula	666	29,769.37	44.70
33. Musselshell	194	9,094.65	46.88
34. Park	210	10,461.64	49.82
35. Petroleum	17	999.50	58.79
36. Phillips	181	8,537.00	47.17
37. Pondera	161	7,345.99	45.63
38. Powder River	53	2,405.75	45.39
39. Powell	154	7,129.34	46.29
40. Prairie	55	3,007.55	54.68
41. Ravalli	360	18,994.95	52.76
42. Richland	185	11,389.20	61.56
43. Roosevelt	270	14,381.24	53.26
44. Rosebud	170	8,289.93	48.76
45. Sanders	221	11,581.57	52.41
46. Sheridan	153	7,282.20	47.60
47. Silver Bow	1,295	57,082.93	44.08
48. Stillwater	139	6,420.15	46.19
49. Sweet Grass	69	3,482.50	50.47
50. Teton	109	6,073.68	55.72
51. Toole	109	5,028.88	46.14
52. Treasure	28	1,211.50	43.27
53. Valley	195	9,465.23	48.54
54. Wheatland	78	3,636.55	46.62
55. Wibaux	32	1,883.48	58.86
56. Yellowstone	779	38,664.44	49.63

TABLE V. OLD AGE ASSISTANCE, BY COUNTY, MARCH 1947, COMPARED WITH SAME MONTH LAST YEAR AND FIVE YEARS AGO

County	MARCH 1947			MARCH 1946		MARCH 1942	
	Number of Cases	Average per Case	Amount	Number of Cases	Average per Case	Number of Cases	Average per Case
TOTAL.....	10,652	$37.33	$ 397,653.00	10,771	$32.36	12,531	$21.81
1. Beaverhead	169	37.54	6,345.00	161	32.15	202	21.45
2. Big Horn	147	35.50	5,218.00	156	31.91	171	20.40
3. Blaine	171	33.83	5,785.00	168	30.82	222	19.46
4. Broadwater	101	36.98	3,735.00	87	31.13	110	22.83
5. Carbon	299	35.28	10,550.00	317	32.71	290	20.67
6. Carter	97	37.72	3,659.00	106	31.72	130	23.55
7. Cascade	655	38.61	25,292.00	649	33.30	784	25.19
8. Chouteau	134	36.04	4,830.00	145	32.89	218	22.99
9. Custer	240	36.50	8,761.00	228	29.97	254	21.22
10. Daniels	62	39.37	2,441.00	67	33.97	103	22.11
11. Dawson	115	38.35	4,410.00	122	32.52	159	22.56
12. Deer Lodge	148	42.22	6,248.00	135	35.29	139	27.15
13. Fallon	64	35.89	2,297.00	57	30.81	99	19.61
14. Fergus	367	38.21	14,023.00	376	33.66	482	22.52
15. Flathead	560	35.39	19,816.00	566	30.59	663	19.39
16. Gallatin	229	39.87	9,131.00	252	34.02	366	19.73
17. Garfield	64	40.25	2,576.00	73	34.62	90	19.68
18. Glacier	153	34.72	5,312.00	139	27.54	121	19.60
19. Golden Valley	35	38.60	1,351.00	39	33.23	60	22.83
20. Granite	46	36.09	1,660.00	55	31.60	69	21.27
21. Hill	176	37.65	6,701.00	188	32.63	272	20.80
22. Jefferson	122	36.36	4,438.00	129	32.66	147	21.60
23. Judith Basin	109	36.81	4,012.00	117	30.74	135	21.90
24. Lake	268	34.77	9,319.00	275	29.40	340	18.57
25. Lewis & Clark	415	36.87	15,299.00	428	31.51	429	20.69
26. Liberty	31	37.94	1,176.00	32	31.06	57	20.93
27. Lincoln	312	35.50	11,077.00	318	29.93	345	20.81
28. Madison	215	41.10	8,836.00	215	35.19	188	21.04
29. McCone	51	36.00	1,836.00	57	29.77	85	19.57
30. Meagher	59	40.17	2,370.00	59	34.08	77	23.12
31. Mineral	84	39.83	3,346.00	88	33.20	110	22.90
32. Missoula	627	37.29	23,383.00	645	33.31	646	24.97
33. Musselshell	184	35.51	6,534.00	175	32.61	176	21.57
34. Park	192	36.64	7,034.00	197	30.69	202	20.25
35. Petroleum	18	36.61	659.00	24	32.17	37	24.79
36. Phillips	164	37.90	6,216.00	148	31.95	191	20.81
37. Pondera	135	35.61	4,807.00	140	30.51	165	21.83
38. Powder River	54	33.19	1,792.00	57	27.61	96	19.29
39. Powell	146	37.64	5,495.00	142	32.75	160	22.54
40. Prairie	55	35.53	1,954.00	57	31.21	58	23.50
41. Ravalli	344	38.24	13,154.00	341	32.25	356	19.80
42. Richland	171	37.86	6,474.00	175	31.82	256	21.38
43. Roosevelt	191	35.52	6,785.00	207	29.89	287	20.55
44. Rosebud	138	36.62	5,053.00	144	31.12	180	19.21
45. Sanders	209	38.42	8,029.00	219	33.20	256	21.91
46. Sheridan	133	37.98	5,052.00	135	30.94	218	19.52
47. Silver Bow	955	39.20	37,435.00	932	34.09	853	25.47
48. Stillwater	120	36.55	4,386.00	114	32.04	155	21.92
49. Sweet Grass	60	37.55	2,253.00	66	33.61	100	20.52
50. Teton	96	38.06	3,654.00	92	31.57	121	21.63
51. Toole	79	36.61	2,892.00	78	32.59	115	20.19
52. Treasure	24	40.25	966.00	25	31.20	38	24.14
53. Valley	176	37.18	6,543.00	170	33.56	252	22.16
54. Wheatland	70	38.44	2,691.00	64	32.45	78	22.87
55. Wibaux	28	38.32	1,073.00	29	31.59	53	22.81
56. Yellowstone	583	36.86	21,489.00	591	34.49	565	21.19

TABLE VI. OLD AGE ASSISTANCE: COUNTIES RANKED BY AMOUNT OF AVERAGE PAYMENT, MARCH 1947, COMPARED WITH LAST MONTH AND SAME MONTH A YEAR AGO

MARCH 1947			FEBRUARY 1947		MARCH 1946		
Rank	County	Average	County	Average	County	Average	Rank
1.	Deer Lodge	$ 42.22	Deer Lodge	$ 42.19	Deer Lodge	$ 35.29	1.
2.	Madison	41.10	Madison	41.05	Madison	35.19	2.
3.	Garfield	40.25	Meagher	40.84	Garfield	34.62	3.
4.	Treasure	40.25	Treasure	40.25	Yellowstone	34.49	4.
5.	Meagher	40.17	Garfield	40.14	Silver Bow	34.09	5.
6.	Gallatin	39.87	Mineral	39.69	Meagher	34.08	6.
7.	Mineral	39.83	Gallatin	39.69	Gallatin	34.02	7.
8.	Daniels	39.37	Silver Bow	39.19	Daniels	33.97	8.
9.	Silver Bow	39.20	Daniels	39.17	Fergus	33.66	9.
10.	Cascade	38.61	Cascade	38.67	Sweet Grass	33.61	10.
11.	Golden Valley	38.60	Sanders	38.43	Valley	33.56	11.
12.	Wheatland	38.44	Golden Valley	38.41	Missoula	33.31	12.
13.	Sanders	38.42	Wibaux	38.32	Cascade	33.30	13.
14.	Dawson	38.35	Dawson	38.27	Golden Valley	33.23	14.
15.	Wibaux	38.32	Wheatland	38.21	Mineral	33.20	15.
16.	Ravalli	38.24	Fergus	38.15	Sanders	33.20	16.
17.	Forgus	38.21	Phillips	37.90	Chouteau	32.89	17.
18.	Teton	38.06	Richland	37.78	Powell	32.75	18.
19.	Sheridan	37.98	Teton	37.72	Carbon	32.71	19.
20.	Liberty	37.94	Sheridan	37.70	Jefferson	32.66	20.
21.	Phillips	37.90	Hill	37.66	Hill	32.63	21.
22.	Richland	37.86	Carter	37.65	Musselshell	32.61	22.
23.	Carter	37.72	Valley	37.58	Toole	32.59	23.
24.	Hill	37.65	Powell	37.53	Dawson	32.52	24.
25.	Powell	37.64	Liberty	37.48	Wheatland	32.45	25.
26.	Sweet Grass	37.55	Sweet Grass	37.47	Ravalli	32.25	26.
27.	Beaverhead	37.54	Beaverhead	37.30	Petroleum	32.17	27.
28.	Missoula	37.29	Broadwater	37.30	Beaverhead	32.15	28.
29.	Valley	37.18	Yellowstone	36.79	Stillwater	32.04	29.
30.	Broadwater	36.98	Ravalli	36.69	Phillips	31.95	30.
31.	Lewis & Clark	36.87	Rosebud	36.54	Big Horn	31.91	31.
32.	Yellowstone	36.86	Park	36.53	Richland	31.82	32.
33.	Judith Basin	36.81	Custer	36.49	Carter	31.72	33.
34.	Park	36.64	Judith Basin	36.48	Granite	31.60	34.
35.	Rosebud	36.62	Lewis & Clark	36.48	Wibaux	31.59	35.
36.	Petroleum	36.61	Petroleum	36.44	Teton	31.57	36.
37.	Toole	36.61	Toole	36.43	Lewis & Clark	31.51	37.
38.	Stillwater	36.55	Stillwater	36.38	Prairie	31.21	38.
39.	Custer	36.50	Musselshell	36.10	Treasure	31.20	39.
40.	Jefferson	36.38	Prairie	36.09	Broadwater	31.13	40.
41.	Granite	36.09	Missoula	35.85	Rosebud	31.12	41.
42.	Chouteau	36.04	Chouteau	35.85	Liberty	31.06	42.
43.	McCone	36.00	Jefferson	35.85	Sheridan	30.94	43.
44.	Fallon	35.89	McCone	35.79	Blaine	30.82	44.
45.	Pondera	35.61	Fallon	35.68	Fallon	30.81	45.
46.	Prairie	35.53	Carbon	35.55	Judith Basin	30.74	46.
47.	Roosevelt	35.52	Flathead	35.36	Park	30.69	47.
48.	Musselshell	35.51	Roosevelt	35.35	Flathead	30.59	48.
49.	Lincoln	35.50	Lincoln	35.35	Pondera	30.51	49.
50.	Big Horn	35.50	Pondera	35.25	Custer	29.97	50.
51.	Flathead	35.39	Big Horn	35.16	Lincoln	29.93	51.
52.	Carbon	35.28	Lake	34.71	Roosevelt	29.89	52.
53.	Lake	34.77	Glacier	34.31	McCone	29.77	53.
54.	Glacier	34.72	Powder River	34.06	Lake	29.40	54.
55.	Blaine	33.83	Blaine	33.89	Powder River	27.61	55.
56.	Powder River	33.19	Granite	32.41	Glacier	27.54	56.

TABLE VII. OLD AGE ASSISTANCE, NUMBER OF RECIPIENTS AND AVERAGE PAYMENT PER RECIPIENT BY RACE, BY COUNTY, MARCH 1947

County	TOTAL		INDIAN		EXCLUSIVE OF INDIAN	
	Number of Recipients	Average Payment	Number of Recipients	Average Payment	Number of Recipients	Average Payment
TOTAL.....	10,652	$ 37.33	364	$ 30.11	10,288	$ 37.59
1. Beaverhead	169	37.54	-	-	169	37.54
2. Big Horn	147	35.50	19	23.47	128	37.28
3. Blaine	171	33.83	48	25.10	123	37.24
4. Broadwater	101	36.98	-	-	101	36.98
5. Carbon	299	35.28	-	-	299	35.28
6. Carter	97	37.72	-	-	97	37.72
7. Cascade	655	38.61	2	39.50	653	38.61
8. Chouteau	134	36.04	1	45.00	133	35.98
9. Custer	240	36.50	2	36.00	238	36.51
10. Daniels	62	39.37	-	-	62	39.37
11. Dawson	115	38.35	-	-	115	38.35
12. Deer Lodge	148	42.22	-	-	148	42.22
13. Fallon	64	35.89	-	-	64	35.89
14. Fergus	367	38.21	-	-	367	38.21
15. Flathead	660	38.38	3	36.67	657	38.38
16. Gallatin	229	39.87	-	-	229	39.87
17. Garfield	64	40.25	-	-	64	40.25
18. Glacier	153	34.72	71	31.21	82	37.76
19. Golden Valley	35	38.60	-	-	35	38.60
20. Granite	46	36.09	-	-	46	36.09
21. Hill	178	37.65	32	33.84	146	38.48
22. Jefferson	122	36.38	-	-	122	36.38
23. Judith Basin	109	36.81	-	-	109	36.81
24. Lake	268	34.77	48	33.00	220	35.16
25. Lewis & Clark	415	36.87	-	-	415	36.87
26. Liberty	31	37.94	-	-	31	37.94
27. Lincoln	312	35.50	1	26.00	311	35.53
28. Madison	215	41.10	-	-	215	41.10
29. McCone	51	36.00	-	-	51	36.00
30. Meagher	59	40.17	-	-	59	40.17
31. Mineral	84	39.83	-	-	84	39.83
32. Missoula	627	37.29	12	30.00	615	37.44
33. Musselshell	184	35.51	-	-	184	35.51
34. Park	192	36.64	-	-	192	36.64
35. Petroleum	18	36.61	-	-	18	36.61
36. Phillips	164	37.98	3	33.67	161	37.98
37. Pondera	135	35.81	17	27.24	118	36.81
38. Powder River	54	33.19	-	-	54	33.19
39. Powell	146	37.64	-	-	146	37.64
40. Prairie	55	35.53	-	-	55	35.53
41. Ravalli	344	38.24	-	-	344	38.24
42. Richland	171	37.86	1	45.00	170	37.82
43. Roosevelt	191	35.52	57	28.61	134	38.46
44. Rosebud	138	36.62	26	33.12	112	37.43
45. Sanders	209	38.42	11	31.91	198	38.78
46. Sheridan	133	37.98	2	31.00	131	38.09
47. Silver Bow	955	39.20	-	-	955	39.20
48. Stillwater	120	36.55	-	-	120	36.55
49. Sweet Grass	60	37.55	-	-	60	37.55
50. Teton	96	38.06	-	-	96	38.06
51. Toole	79	36.61	-	-	79	36.61
52. Treasure	24	40.25	-	-	24	40.25
53. Valley	176	37.18	7	28.71	169	37.53
54. Wheatland	70	38.44	-	-	70	38.44
55. Wibaux	28	38.32	-	-	28	38.32
56. Yellowstone	583	36.86	1	20.00	582	36.89

TABLE VIII. AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN, BY COUNTY, MARCH 1947, COMPARED WITH SAME MONTH LAST YEAR AND FIVE YEARS AGO

County	MARCH 1947				MARCH 1946			MARCH 1942		
	No. of Families	Cases Children	Av. per Family	Amount	No. of Families	Cases Children	Av. per Family	No. of Families	Cases Children	Av. per Family
TOTAL.....	1,636	4,344	64.74	$105,917.00	1,421	3,729	54.26	2,658	6,546	30.57
1. Beaverhead	8	25	38.12	305.00	8	24	37.25	24	62	30.70
2. Big Horn	51	143	56.65	2,838.00	49	127	52.55	83	215	30.56
3. Blaine	60	155	47.85	2,871.00	57	158	52.42	68	201	32.67
4. Broadwater	6	22	57.17	343.00	4	16	74.25	16	44	34.67
5. Carbon	40	89	65.02	2,601.00	37	82	51.65	60	123	25.03
6. Carter	5	11	67.20	336.00	6	12	55.50	23	51	29.39
7. Cascade	73	237	85.07	6,210.00	45	136	67.42	161	412	34.37
8. Chouteau	13	30	56.77	738.00	13	30	39.00	31	59	26.48
9. Custer	28	60	60.46	1,693.00	25	53	45.76	55	128	33.04
10. Daniels	9	28	80.67	726.00	8	26	75.38	30	66	29.28
11. Dawson	27	50	60.70	1,639.00	28	65	42.57	45	108	31.26
12. Deer Lodge	43	98	94.88	4,080.00	17	33	64.62	24	51	30.37
13. Fallon	17	36	57.94	985.00	16	37	43.81	19	56	33.64
14. Fergus	37	105	78.30	2,897.00	28	70	53.07	84	211	31.92
15. Flathead	49	122	62.83	2,932.00	38	109	46.82	126	288	28.30
16. Gallatin	9	27	49.67	447.00	20	49	43.15	64	151	28.21
17. Garfield	7	25	67.00	469.00	7	28	65.57	11	40	34.18
18. Glacier	93	244	55.58	5,169.00	79	202	43.46	94	226	27.94
19. Golden Valley	5	14	77.00	385.00	5	15	73.40	10	21	29.30
20. Granite	3	10	64.67	194.00	2	9	81.00	7	14	21.00
21. Hill	49	131	72.47	3,551.00	34	87	62.32	78	228	33.80
22. Jefferson	11	32	63.18	695.00	11	29	49.55	19	43	28.21
23. Judith Basin	5	14	79.40	397.00	10	22	52.60	17	32	26.77
24. Lake	22	72	68.95	1,517.00	29	86	50.86	79	175	21.96
25. Lewis & Clark	61	153	59.18	3,610.00	51	125	47.82	76	167	30.25
26. Liberty	4	7	34.75	139.00	4	7	28.75	12	22	22.91
27. Lincoln	23	62	55.43	1,275.00	17	43	40.53	26	72	35.40
28. Madison	15	47	56.93	854.00	13	38	41.46	33	80	26.42
29. McCone	11	27	65.36	719.00	9	18	42.78	22	73	39.40
30. Meagher	8	24	86.00	688.00	7	18	80.14	10	29	36.80
31. Mineral	5	12	69.40	347.00	4	10	44.00	9	26	38.88
32. Missoula	61	150	61.51	3,752.00	71	183	45.42	148	352	31.75
33. Musselshell	14	30	47.86	670.00	12	26	52.00	32	66	26.90
34. Park	19	43	68.89	1,309.00	12	29	43.83	38	69	25.71
35. Petroleum	1	3	40.00	40.00	1	3	30.00	10	17	24.50
36. Phillips	21	63	62.71	1,317.00	13	48	56.46	42	117	35.14
37. Pondera	33	85	44.00	1,452.00	22	53	43.86	42	93	26.35
38. Powder River	4	13	76.50	306.00	1	3	56.00	20	48	26.40
39. Powell	7	19	62.29	436.00	10	25	40.80	17	40	30.82
40. Prairie	9	28	59.78	538.00	10	34	57.60	20	52	32.10
41. Ravalli	45	126	73.49	3,307.00	36	96	51.56	86	197	28.73
42. Richland	24	64	72.00	1,728.00	21	46	48.86	49	127	31.51
43. Roosevelt	97	252	52.54	5,096.00	79	207	40.95	99	264	23.11
44. Rosebud	50	105	50.54	2,527.00	41	85	41.00	9	19	26.22
45. Sanders	18	54	76.06	1,369.00	24	71	61.62	33	79	28.18
46. Sheridan	16	38	65.62	1,050.00	10	26	57.00	24	60	28.54
47. Silver Bow	170	436	69.98	11,897.00	154	398	65.80	195	481	32.89
48. Stillwater	21	66	71.90	1,510.00	18	57	63.22	43	106	28.63
49. Sweet Grass	12	32	71.08	853.00	12	28	46.17	14	35	30.21
50. Teton	14	35	83.93	1,175.00	4	10	62.00	22	57	31.81
51. Toole	12	31	53.33	640.00	8	22	39.62	17	39	28.41
52. Treasure	2	5	35.00	70.00	2	5	44.00	7	25	37.14
53. Valley	26	61	58.85	1,530.00	25	64	49.48	62	184	36.15
54. Wheatland	8	19	52.12	417.00	10	29	64.20	18	44	31.11
55. Wibaux	6	27	68.50	411.00	4	17	57.25	16	31	27.25
56. Yellowstone	153	427	71.68	10,967.00	140	400	76.11	179	470	33.20

TABLE IX. AID TO NEEDY BLIND, BY COUNTY, MARCH 1947, COMPARED WITH SAME MONTH LAST YEAR AND FIVE YEARS AGO

County	MARCH 1947			MARCH 1946		MARCH 1942	
	Number of Cases	Average per Case	Amount	Number of Cases	Average per Case	Number of Cases	Average per Case
TOTAL	375	$ 40.01	$ 15,003.00	346	$ 35.51	311	$ 23.86
1. Beaverhead	-	-	-	2	29.50	3	22.33
2. Big Horn	12	30.75	369.00	13	26.92	5	14.80
3. Blaine	9	37.22	335.00	8	33.50	10	18.90
4. Broadwater	4	41.50	166.00	3	36.33	10	28.00
5. Carbon	7	45.00	315.00	6	38.17	10	28.00
6. Carter	8	41.25	330.00	4	29.75	3	31.66
7. Cascade	37	41.84	1,548.00	36	37.06	21	25.66
8. Chouteau	4	40.50	162.00	5	38.00	7	24.28
9. Custer	7	39.29	275.00	6	35.83	1	35.00
10. Daniels	2	28.00	56.00	2	25.00	3	23.33
11. Dawson	8	40.75	326.00	7	38.00	11	22.45
12. Deer Lodge	3	40.33	121.00	1	35.00	1	30.00
13. Fallon	2	45.00	90.00	1	36.00	-	-
14. Fergus	13	38.92	506.00	12	32.33	3	21.00
15. Flathead	8	34.88	279.00	8	29.25	18	21.88
16. Gallatin	13	43.38	564.00	9	37.56	13	23.92
17. Garfield	3	35.33	106.00	5	36.20	3	17.66
18. Glacier	5	33.00	165.00	5	30.00	4	17.50
19. Golden Valley	1	30.00	30.00	1	30.00	1	23.00
20. Granite	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
21. Hill	12	36.25	435.00	9	35.67	13	25.53
22. Jefferson	3	41.67	125.00	2	40.00	1	21.00
23. Judith Basin	3	41.67	125.00	3	36.67	1	25.00
24. Lake	11	38.27	421.00	11	34.91	6	25.83
25. Lewis & Clark	6	39.00	234.00	8	34.12	12	17.75
26. Liberty	1	45.00	45.00	-	-	-	-
27. Lincoln	2	45.00	90.00	2	35.00	2	19.75
28. Madison	5	39.60	198.00	-	-	-	-
29. McCone	5	38.60	193.00	4	35.00	1	18.00
30. Meagher	-	-	-	1	40.00	4	29.18
31. Mineral	6	42.00	252.00	3	36.67	4	31.25
32. Missoula	27	38.63	1,043.00	20	35.10	23	24.02
33. Musselshell	8	42.50	340.00	7	34.71	3	19.33
34. Park	5	43.00	215.00	6	34.67	3	32.66
35. Petroleum	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
36. Phillips	4	44.00	176.00	4	38.75	4	26.25
37. Pondera	3	45.00	135.00	4	36.75	3	31.33
38. Powder River	1	41.00	41.00	-	-	3	30.00
39. Powell	5	41.80	209.00	4	37.75	3	27.66
40. Prairie	4	35.00	140.00	2	34.00	1	10.00
41. Ravalli	9	40.11	361.00	8	34.00	6	23.50
42. Richland	6	39.67	238.00	5	36.00	3	17.50
43. Roosevelt	9	40.33	363.00	9	34.78	8	18.50
44. Rosebud	8	38.62	309.00	6	36.67	6	13.83
45. Sanders	5	42.40	212.00	4	37.00	2	25.00
46. Sheridan	1	43.00	43.00	1	35.00	1	20.00
47. Silver Bow	37	41.70	1,543.00	34	37.56	31	27.19
48. Stillwater	4	39.00	156.00	3	37.67	3	21.33
49. Sweet Grass	2	45.00	90.00	2	40.00	-	-
50. Teton	1	26.00	26.00	3	28.33	2	20.00
51. Toole	1	40.00	40.00	3	40.00	2	20.00
52. Treasure	2	45.00	90.00	3	35.67	2	17.50
53. Valley	1	42.00	42.00	2	37.50	1	17.00
54. Wheatland	1	45.00	45.00	1	40.00	1	27.00
55. Wibaux	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
56. Yellowstone	31	41.45	1,285.00	33	37.78	20	23.70

TABLE X. GENERAL RELIEF SUBSISTENCE, BY COUNTY, MARCH 1947, COMPARED WITH SAME MONTH LAST YEAR AND FIVE YEARS AGO

County	MARCH 1947			MARCH 1946		MARCH 1942	
	Number of Cases	Average per Case	Amount	Number of Cases	Average per Case	Number of Cases	Average per Case
TOTAL.....	1,293	$27.79	$ 35,932.69	1,128	$25.58	2,993	$16.89
1. Beaverhead	6	15.34	92.03	5	37.70	7	14.95
2. Big Horn	6	33.17	199.00	10	30.55	21	22.21
3. Blaine	6	17.66	105.96	7	25.55	4	13.00
4. Broadwater	4	22.50	90.00	4	25.00	3	17.99
5. Carbon	35	25.18	881.13	45	24.21	98	13.26
6. Carter	11	26.84	295.25	7	16.86	18	25.28
7. Cascade	152	29.33	4,457.92	93	25.89	214	15.33
8. Chouteau	14	27.47	384.52	12	24.22	28	15.61
9. Custer	22	26.23	577.00	22	20.46	92	16.54
10. Daniels	11	26.17	287.88	10	23.80	26	15.56
11. Dawson	19	27.69	526.02	8	20.48	30	17.42
12. Deer Lodge	21	28.67	602.00	22	25.34	38	21.74
13. Fallon	8	23.56	188.50	5	24.38	11	17.31
14. Fergus	20	31.17	623.43	16	22.69	121	15.45
15. Flathead	27	28.26	763.12	31	23.42	92	12.79
16. Gallatin	22	42.23	929.00	12	21.75	49	16.97
17. Garfield	10	30.15	301.50	13	35.77	12	13.08
18. Glacier	32	25.70	822.43	30	18.57	91	16.33
19. Golden Valley	3	13.67	41.00	4	19.00	18	15.88
20. Granite	2	11.36	22.72	2	16.15	5	15.80
21. Hill	25	27.78	694.45	14	23.93	27	13.97
22. Jefferson	9	14.62	131.55	7	15.71	33	17.16
23. Judith Basin	13	22.87	297.27	11	24.70	45	26.49
24. Lake	23	25.07	576.54	15	26.93	52	13.23
25. Lewis & Clark	29	19.19	556.45	27	16.73	90	13.83
26. Liberty	4	24.16	96.65	2	23.00	4	11.18
27. Lincoln	21	21.81	458.00	28	20.11	38	12.96
28. Madison	14	29.57	414.00	6	27.67	25	14.68
29. McCone	9	18.75	168.77	6	33.08	15	25.79
30. Meagher	8	22.75	182.00	3	31.67	8	10.56
31. Mineral	3	28.00	84.00	8	39.40	10	21.34
32. Missoula	45	23.56	1,060.13	47	22.18	160	15.38
33. Musselshell	24	23.64	567.30	14	25.57	53	17.95
34. Park	21	35.67	749.10	19	30.29	46	15.85
35. Petroleum	1	88.00	88.00	-	-	1	5.25
36. Phillips	11	25.55	281.00	7	20.57	24	17.46
37. Pondera	13	21.77	282.96	10	26.29	39	21.97
38. Powder River	5	21.00	105.00	4	28.00	8	17.12
39. Powell	16	30.25	484.04	15	22.15	39	15.29
40. Prairie	5	31.30	156.50	5	12.60	12	16.95
41. Ravalli	42	32.54	1,366.62	34	24.97	67	14.36
42. Richland	33	37.08	1,223.73	23	29.56	49	19.71
43. Roosevelt	31	27.84	863.07	25	23.57	34	12.40
44. Rosebud	7	24.74	173.18	5	20.50	12	13.36
45. Sanders	13	27.69	360.00	14	28.14	40	16.05
46. Sheridan	17	39.69	674.80	16	23.28	25	16.19
47. Silver Bow	222	25.70	5,705.93	193	25.71	391	15.32
48. Stillwater	11	31.22	343.40	15	20.86	38	21.19
49. Sweet Grass	4	22.00	88.00	6	23.42	41	12.52
50. Teton	6	33.00	198.03	6	25.64	32	18.81
51. Toole	14	29.18	408.54	10	20.35	15	15.73
52. Treasure	4	18.00	72.00	5	16.40	7	14.02
53. Valley	21	27.64	580.49	19	24.11	97	18.12
54. Wheatland	9	26.47	238.26	7	28.14	26	19.97
55. Wibaux	4	58.00	231.98	5	19.60	6	10.58
56. Yellowstone	125	28.56	3,570.54	142	32.55	399	21.97

TABLE XI. ANALYSIS OF GENERAL RELIEF SUBSISTENCE, BY FAMILY AND ONE-PERSON CASES, BY COUNTY, MARCH 1947

County	Cases Receiving General Relief Subsistence				Obligations Incurred for:		
	Total Number of Cases	Family Cases			Total	Family Cases	One-Person Cases
		Number	Pers. in Family Cases	No. of One-Person Cases			
TOTAL	1,293	383	1,297	910	$ 35,932.69	$ 11,259.40	$ 24,673.29
1. Beaverhead	6	1	2	5	92.03	25.00	67.03
2. Big Horn	6	1	2	5	199.00	30.00	169.00
3. Blaine	6	1	2	5	105.96	20.00	85.96
4. Broadwater	4	-	5	4	90.00	-	90.00
5. Carbon	35	7	17	28	881.13	161.26	719.87
6. Carter	11	3	6	8	295.25	47.00	248.25
7. Cascade	152	59	231	93	4,457.92	2,326.71	2,131.21
8. Chouteau	14	-	-	14	384.52	-	384.52
9. Custer	22	8	27	14	577.00	180.20	396.80
10. Daniels	11	3	12	8	287.88	73.88	214.00
11. Dawson	19	11	57	8	526.02	343.28	182.74
12. Deer Lodge	21	4	20	17	812.00	147.32	664.68
13. Fallon	8	4	16	4	188.50	113.50	75.00
14. Fergus	20	12	27	8	623.43	382.95	240.48
15. Flathead	27	4	8	23	763.12	95.00	668.12
16. Gallatin	22	2	8	20	929.00	65.00	864.00
17. Garfield	10	2	4	8	301.50	56.00	245.50
18. Glacier	32	11	54	21	822.43	332.06	490.37
19. Golden Valley	3	1	2	2	41.00	26.00	15.00
20. Granite	2	-	-	2	22.72	-	22.72
21. Hill	25	7	14	18	694.45	146.00	548.45
22. Jefferson	9	2	4	7	131.55	30.00	101.55
23. Judith Basin	13	4	11	9	297.27	62.62	234.65
24. Lake	23	5	23	18	576.54	156.94	419.60
25. Lewis & Clark	29	4	13	25	556.45	79.70	476.75
26. Liberty	4	-	-	4	96.65	-	96.65
27. Lincoln	21	6	19	15	458.00	140.00	318.00
28. Madison	14	9	27	5	414.00	300.00	114.00
29. McCone	9	3	14	6	168.77	85.00	83.77
30. Meagher	8	2	4	6	182.00	85.00	97.00
31. Mineral	3	1	2	2	84.00	30.00	54.00
32. Missoula	45	13	34	32	1,060.13	298.38	761.75
33. Musselshell	24	5	11	19	567.30	108.00	459.30
34. Park	21	9	38	12	749.10	361.00	388.10
35. Petroleum	1	1	3	-	88.00	88.00	-
36. Phillips	11	4	22	7	281.00	80.00	201.00
37. Pondera	13	-	-	13	282.96	-	282.96
38. Powder River	5	2	4	3	105.00	34.00	71.00
39. Powell	16	4	14	12	484.04	122.04	362.00
40. Prairie	5	1	2	4	156.50	45.00	111.50
41. Ravalli	42	17	22	25	1,366.62	551.50	815.12
42. Richland	33	14	76	19	1,223.73	542.47	681.26
43. Roosevelt	31	11	29	20	863.07	290.69	572.38
44. Rosebud	7	1	6	6	173.18	50.00	123.18
45. Sanders	13	6	2	7	360.00	142.00	218.00
46. Sheridan	17	5	22	12	674.80	208.80	466.00
47. Silver Bow	222	73	199	149	5,705.93	1,334.05	4,371.88
48. Stillwater	11	2	4	9	343.40	71.00	272.40
49. Sweet Grass	4	-	-	4	88.00	-	88.00
50. Teton	6	-	-	6	198.03	-	198.03
51. Toole	14	3	18	11	408.54	103.52	305.02
52. Treasure	4	-	-	4	72.00	-	72.00
53. Valley	21	6	12	15	580.49	207.00	373.49
54. Wheatland	9	2	7	7	238.26	82.30	155.96
55. Wibaux	4	1	9	3	231.98	166.98	65.00
56. Yellowstone	125	26	134	99	3,570.54	832.25	2,738.29

TABLE XII. ALL GENERAL RELIEF, INCLUDING SUBSISTENCE, MEDICAL CARE, HOSPITALIZATION, AND BURIALS, BY COUNTY, MARCH 1947

County	Total Cases	Expenditures from General Relief Funds for: Total	Sub-sistence	Medical Care	Hospital-ization	Burials
TOTAL	1,921	$ 80,589.34	$ 35,932.69	$ 5,858.32	$ 34,429.69	$ 4,368.64
1. Beaverhead	11	784.28	92.03	150.00	542.25	-
2. Big Horn	15	557.40	199.00	56.00	184.40	118.00
3. Blaine	25	205.47	105.96	99.51	-	-
4. Broadwater	7	485.00	90.00	-	395.00	-
5. Carbon	45	1,327.76	881.13	19.99	267.00	159.64
6. Carter	17	842.50	295.25	97.25	375.00	75.00
7. Cascade	246	15,218.45	4,457.92	145.40	9,855.13	760.00
8. Chouteau	34	2,174.27	384.52	135.25	1,654.50	-
9. Custer	25	730.43	577.00	3.43	-	150.00
10. Daniels	19	759.45	287.88	80.07	341.50	50.00
11. Dawson	31	1,308.64	526.02	1.62	781.00	-
12. Deer Lodge	74	2,662.87	812.00	480.88	1,144.99	225.00
13. Fallon	12	580.50	188.50	137.00	255.00	-
14. Fergus	34	902.44	623.43	19.75	259.26	-
15. Flathead	51	1,003.12	763.12	-	-	240.00
16. Gallatin	23	951.40	929.00	-	22.40	-
17. Garfield	17	926.50	301.50	4.00	621.00	-
18. Glacier	39	1,435.20	822.43	112.77	500.00	-
19. Golden Valley	7	396.50	41.00	30.00	325.50	-
20. Granite	5	75.97	22.72	5.25	48.00	-
21. Hill	85	2,185.04	694.65	58.55	1,382.24	50.00
22. Jefferson	25	1,908.73	151.55	579.43	1,175.75	225.00
23. Judith Basin	25	1,038.32	297.27	201.45	484.60	55.00
24. Lake	31	1,229.89	576.54	116.75	628.70	108.00
25. Lewis & Clark	40	951.76	556.45	43.31	52.00	300.00
26. Liberty	5	194.15	96.65	-	7.50	90.00
27. Lincoln	28	822.53	458.00	34.53	215.00	115.00
28. Madison	18	507.95	414.00	4.35	14.60	75.00
29. McCone	9	170.77	168.77	2.00	-	-
30. Meagher	10	269.50	182.00	87.50	-	-
31. Mineral	22	1,475.13	84.00	129.63	1,261.50	-
32. Missoula	57	1,591.87	1,080.13	185.24	196.00	150.00
33. Musselshell	39	1,550.65	567.30	40.35	943.00	-
34. Park	38	1,903.64	749.10	179.00	875.54	100.00
35. Petroleum	5	300.50	88.00	24.00	38.50	150.00
36. Phillips	18	828.00	281.00	12.00	535.00	-
37. Pondera	23	951.99	282.96	214.23	454.80	-
38. Powder River	9	286.75	105.00	26.25	135.50	-
39. Powell	26	989.34	484.04	26.80	478.50	-
40. Prairie	7	375.55	156.50	-	219.05	-
41. Ravalli	57	2,172.95	1,366.62	327.83	403.50	75.00
42. Richland	45	2,949.20	1,223.73	767.49	957.98	-
43. Roosevelt	54	2,137.24	863.07	150.61	995.56	128.00
44. Rosebud	11	400.93	173.18	2.75	225.00	-
45. Sanders	34	1,971.57	360.00	158.08	1,453.49	-
46. Sheridan	21	1,157.20	694.80	-	462.40	-
47. Silver Bow	228	8,207.93	5,705.93	2.00	-	500.00
48. Stillwater	14	368.15	343.40	24.75	-	-
49. Sweet Grass	12	286.50	88.00	156.50	42.00	-
50. Teton	23	1,218.68	198.03	158.15	862.50	-
51. Toole	22	1,456.88	408.54	256.84	791.50	-
52. Treasure	5	85.50	72.00	13.50	-	-
53. Valley	32	1,350.23	580.49	64.19	485.55	220.00
54. Wheatland	12	483.65	238.26	22.89	182.50	-
55. Wibaux	6	399.48	231.98	135.50	32.00	-
56. Yellowstone	135	4,923.44	3,570.54	234.90	868.00	250.00

TABLE XIII. TRANSIENT RELIEF, BY COUNTY, COMPARED WITH LAST MONTH AND SAME MONTH A YEAR AGO, MARCH 1947

County	MARCH 1947		FEBRUARY 1947		MARCH 1946	
	Number of Cases	Amount	Number of Cases	Amount	Number of Cases	Amount
TOTAL	175	$ 1,090.17	179	$ 1,382.22	99	$ 1,061.14
1. Beaverhead	1	3.62	2	15.65	-	-
2. Big Horn	-	-	-	-	1	190.00
3. Blaine	-	-	-	-	-	-
4. Broadwater	-	-	-	-	-	-
5. Carbon	-	-	-	-	-	-
6. Carter	-	-	-	-	-	-
7. Cascade	5	58.00	2	4.80	9	9.63
8. Chouteau	12	12.00	9	9.00	7	7.00
9. Custer	6	13.45	4	3.00	8	98.40
10. Daniels	-	-	-	-	-	-
11. Dawson	2	4.16	1	0.50	8	7.97
12. Deer Lodge	-	-	9	36.00	7	17.00
13. Fallon	-	-	-	-	-	-
14. Fergus	2	26.00	3	55.89	-	-
15. Flathead	13	40.75	13	36.08	1	5.00
16. Gallatin	1	53.35	-	-	5	5.00
17. Garfield	-	-	-	-	-	-
18. Glacier	-	-	-	-	-	-
19. Golden Valley	-	-	-	-	-	-
20. Granite	-	-	-	-	-	-
21. Hill	1	15.00	-	-	1	2.80
22. Jefferson	-	-	-	-	1	75.00
23. Judith Basin	-	-	-	-	-	-
24. Lake	-	-	-	-	-	-
25. Lewis & Clark	24	75.72	13	41.94	-	-
26. Liberty	-	-	-	-	-	-
27. Lincoln	1	6.50	1	25.00	1	3.00
28. Madison	-	-	-	-	-	-
29. McCone	-	-	-	-	-	-
30. Meagher	1	60.00	1	64.15	1	40.00
31. Mineral	2	3.34	-	-	-	-
32. Missoula	8	60.48	8	324.98	-	-
33. Musselshell	-	-	-	-	-	-
34. Park	1	7.50	9	34.87	-	-
35. Petroleum	-	-	-	-	-	-
36. Phillips	1	7.36	1	10.00	-	-
37. Pondera	2	29.68	3	31.00	8	324.92
38. Powder River	-	-	6	159.00	2	1.50
39. Powell	5	7.31	6	5.92	4	10.83
40. Prairie	1	1.04	5	2.00	2	20.00
41. Ravalli	-	-	-	-	-	-
42. Richland	2	268.70	6	304.81	1	3.20
43. Roosevelt	10	122.50	2	10.85	4	8.35
44. Rosebud	-	-	-	-	1	3.80
45. Sanders	1	3.92	1	4.25	-	-
46. Sheridan	-	-	-	-	-	-
47. Silver Bow	13	65.39	24	87.68	11	56.70
48. Stillwater	7	7.00	1	6.81	9	26.34
49. Sweet Grass	1	1.40	1	0.60	-	-
50. Teton	-	-	-	-	-	-
51. Toole	-	-	-	-	2	51.05
52. Treasure	-	-	1	0.70	-	-
53. Valley	-	-	-	-	1	51.85
54. Wheatland	4	18.95	1	27.00	-	-
55. Wibaux	-	-	-	-	-	-
56. Yellowstone	48	117.05	41	79.75	6	42.00

TABLE XIV. MONTHLY REPORT OF CHILD WELFARE SERVICES, MARCH 1947

Children Receiving Service	Children
1. Children carried forward from preceding period	1,011
2. Children for whom service was initiated during period	46
3. Total children	1,057
4. Children for whom service was terminated during period	75
5. Children carried forward to following month	982
a. In home of parents	604
b. In home of relatives	87
c. In foster home	236
d. In institution	45
e. Elsewhere	10

TABLE XV. CHILDREN UNDER CARE, BY COUNTY, MARCH 1947

County	Number of Children	County	Number of Children
TOTAL	982		
1. Beaverhead	2	29. McCone	11
2. Big Horn	3	30. Meagher	-
3. Blaine	1	31. Mineral	-
4. Broadwater	7	32. Missoula	43
5. Carbon	9	33. Musselshell	12
6. Carter	5	34. Park	3
7. Cascade	82	35. Petroleum	-
8. Chouteau	5	36. Phillips	3
9. Custer	39	37. Pondera	2
10. Daniels	8	38. Powder River	9
11. Dawson	16	39. Powell	17
12. Deer Lodge	37	40. Prairie	5
13. Fallon	7	41. Ravalli	8
14. Fergus	30	42. Richland	10
15. Flathead	18	43. Roosevelt	15
16. Gallatin	7	44. Rosebud	7
17. Garfield	8	45. Sanders	22
18. Glacier	6	46. Sheridan	15
19. Golden Valley	-	47. Silver Bow	186
20. Granite	4	48. Stillwater	-
21. Hill	10	49. Sweet Grass	11
22. Jefferson	3	50. Teton	13
23. Judith Basin	13	51. Toole	25
24. Lake	16	52. Treasure	-
25. Lewis & Clark	68	53. Valley	59
26. Liberty	-	54. Wheatland	2
27. Lincoln	8	55. Wibaux	-
28. Madison	15	56. Yellowstone	77

TABLE XVI. AID TO SILICOTICS, BY COUNTY, MARCH 1947

County	Number of Recipients	Total Payments
TOTAL.....	549	$ 16,470.00
1. Beaverhead	2	60.00
2. Big Horn	-	-
3. Blaine	-	-
4. Broadwater	1	30.00
5. Carbon	3	90.00
6. Carter	-	-
7. Cascade	8	240.00
8. Chouteau	1	30.00
9. Custer	1	30.00
10. Daniels	-	-
11. Dawson	-	-
12. Deer Lodge	18	540.00
13. Fallon	-	-
14. Fergus	1	30.00
15. Flathead	-	-
16. Gallatin	-	-
17. Garfield	-	-
18. Glacier	-	-
19. Golden Valley	-	-
20. Granite	11	330.00
21. Hill	2	60.00
22. Jefferson	19	570.00
23. Judith Basin	-	-
24. Lake	3	90.00
25. Lewis & Clark	26	780.00
26. Liberty	-	-
27. Lincoln	2	60.00
28. Madison	14	420.00
29. McCone	-	-
30. Meagher	-	-
31. Mineral	2	60.00
32. Missoula	5	150.00
33. Musselshell	15	450.00
34. Park	1	30.00
35. Petroleum	-	-
36. Phillips	1	30.00
37. Pondera	-	-
38. Powder River	1	30.00
39. Powell	3	90.00
40. Prairie	-	-
41. Ravalli	4	120.00
42. Richland	-	-
43. Roosevelt	-	-
44. Rosebud	-	-
45. Sanders	2	60.00
46. Sheridan	1	30.00
47. Silver Bow	400	12,000.00
48. Stillwater	-	-
49. Sweet Grass	-	-
50. Teton	-	-
51. Toole	-	-
52. Treasure	-	-
53. Valley	-	-
54. Wheatland	-	-
55. Wibaux	-	-
56. Yellowstone	2	60.00

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE: AVERAGE PAYMENTS TO RECIPIENTS BY STATE, JANUARY 1947

UNITED STATES	$35.39
Alabama	18.25
Alaska	43.31
Arizona	49.30
Arkansas	19.48
California	52.63
Colorado	41.42
Connecticut	42.46
Delaware	20.41
District of Columbia	39.62
Florida	35.96
Georgia	16.34
Hawaii	28.23
Idaho	41.70
Illinois	39.11
Indiana	28.51
Iowa	35.83
Kansas	34.35
Kentucky	17.37
Louisiana	23.81
Maine	33.77
Maryland	32.48
Massachusetts	50.44
Michigan	35.80
Minnesota	35.63
Mississippi	17.01
Missouri	34.42
MONTANA	37.02
Nebraska	37.31
Nevada	46.28
New Hampshire	34.45
New Jersey	39.78
New Mexico	36.34
New York	47.43
North Carolina	16.38
North Dakota	38.15
Ohio	38.58
Oklahoma	42.18
Oregon	44.45
Pennsylvania	33.87
Rhode Island	36.88
South Carolina	20.52
South Dakota	32.46
Tennessee	19.07
Texas	27.26
Utah	45.60
Vermont	29.76
Virginia	17.01
Washington	55.72
West Virginia	19.56
Wisconsin	34.84
Wyoming	48.58

INTERQUARTILE DISTRIBUTION
(STATES RANKED BY AMOUNT OF AVERAGE PAYMENT)

	Amount	Rank	State
HIGHEST	$55.72	1.	WASHINGTON
		2.	CALIFORNIA
		3.	MASSACHUSETTS
		4.	ARIZONA
		5.	WYOMING
		6.	NEW YORK
		7.	NEVADA
		8.	UTAH
		9.	OREGON
		10.	ALASKA
		11.	CONNECTICUT
		12.	OKLAHOMA
UPPER QUARTILE	$41.70	13.	IDAHO
		14.	COLORADO
		15.	NEW JERSEY
		16.	DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
		17.	ILLINOIS
		18.	OHIO
		19.	NORTH DAKOTA
		20.	NEBRASKA
		21.	MONTANA
		22.	RHODE ISLAND
		23.	NEW MEXICO
		24.	FLORIDA
		25.	IOWA
MEDIAN	$35.80	26.	MICHIGAN
		27.	MINNESOTA
		28.	WISCONSIN
		29.	NEW HAMPSHIRE
		30.	MISSOURI
		31.	KANSAS
		32.	PENNSYLVANIA
		33.	MAINE
		34.	MARYLAND
		35.	SOUTH DAKOTA
		36.	VERMONT
		37.	INDIANA
		38.	HAWAII
LOWER QUARTILE	$27.26	39.	TEXAS
		40.	LOUISIANA
		41.	SOUTH CAROLINA
		42.	DELAWARE
		43.	WEST VIRGINIA
		44.	ARKANSAS
		45.	TENNESSEE
		46.	ALABAMA
		47.	KENTUCKY
		48.	MISSISSIPPI
		49.	VIRGINIA
		50.	NORTH CAROLINA
LOWEST	$16.34	51.	GEORGIA

Source: Social Security Administration